



RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
GROUP 3737
PATENT APPLICATION

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For: FLUORESCENT-LIGHT IMAGE DISPLAY METHOD AND APPARATUS
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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 03, 2006, please consider the remarks as submitted herewith on the accompanying pages.

REMARKS

Claims 1-46 are all the claims pending in the application.

DOUBLE PATENTING:

Claims 1-46 are provisionally rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1-17 of copending application No. 10/138,527 (hereinafter "527").

To overcome the obviousness-type double patenting rejection, and as the path of least resistance, Applicants submit herewith a suitable Terminal Disclaimer. The filing of a Terminal